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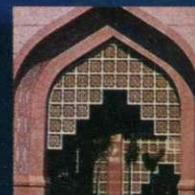
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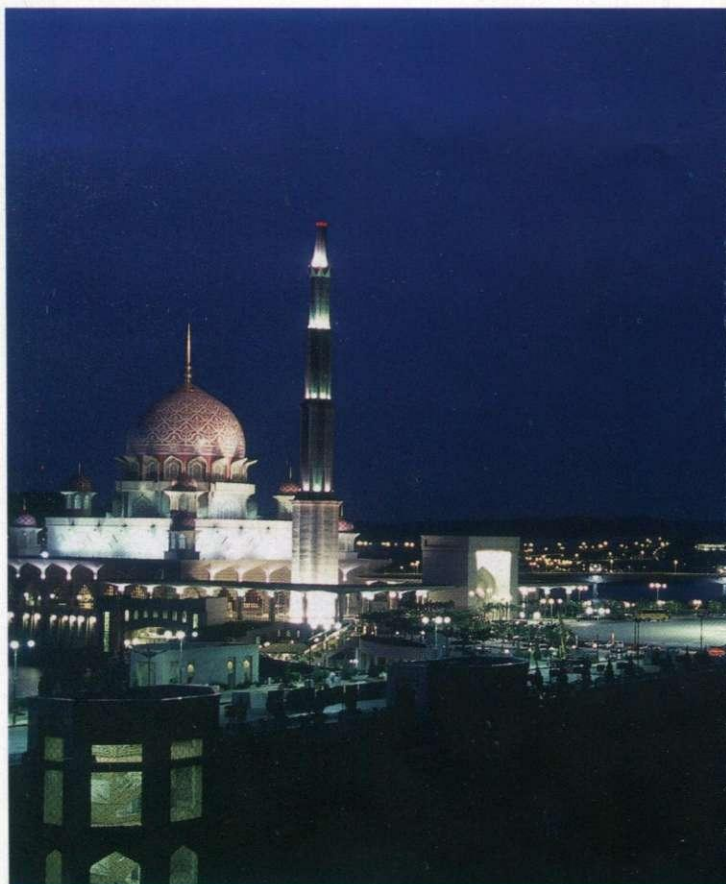
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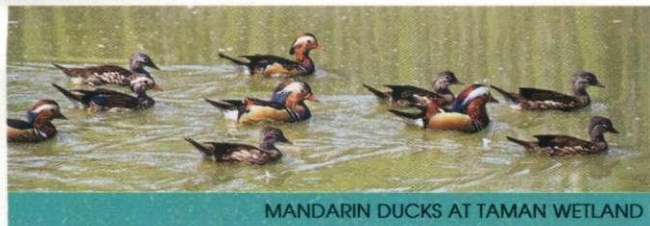
PUTRAJAYA AT NIGHT

PARKS AND GARDENS

Parks and gardens feature prominently in this Garden City. One of them, the 85ha Botanical Garden at the northern entrance to the Government Precinct, will house thousands of local plants species and an ornamental garden. In addition, the 62.4 ha. Taman Putra Perdana acts as the urban green lung while the Perdana Walk, a 4.7 ha. linear park will link Persiaran Perdana with Dataran Putra. Taman Rimba Alam and Taman Jati which are designed to be sustainable recreational forest parks will have nature trails, cycling paths and camping sites. The following are some of the most attractive parks and gardens in Putrajaya:

Putrajaya Wetlands

Covering a total area of 335ha, the wetland environment comprises Taman Wetland (138ha) and the wetland areas (197ha). One of the most popular tourist attractions in Putrajaya, the wetlands consist of 24 wetland cells built along the arms of the Chua and Bisa rivers. Marshes and swamps were developed in these cells by transplanting more than 70 species of wetland plants from the Putrajaya Wetland Nursery. Twenty-four species of indigenous fish were later introduced into the wetland cells to enhance their biological diversity.



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wetland plant bed filtration system, conservation of wetland habitats and also focuses on the uses of wetland products.

Putrajaya Wetlands, believed to be the largest constructed freshwater wetlands in the tropics, is the first one of its kind in Malaysia. Where geology, hydrology and biology have created natural wetlands, the Putrajaya Wetlands carved out from rubber and oil palm plantations is the result of human ingenuity and technology.

The opening hours of Putrajaya Wetlands to the public are from 9.00 am – 6.00 pm daily.

Putra Perdana Park (*Taman Putra Perdana*)

Located at the highest point in Precinct 1, this park is spread over 70 ha. and surrounded by Persiaran Sultan Salahuddin Abdul Aziz Shah. It acts as an intermediate between the natural domains to the north and the Government and commercial domains to the south and east. As the park is located on one of the highest grounds in the city, visitors can enjoy a panoramic view of Putrajaya.

Among the many attractions and facilities in this park are:

Mercu Tanda (Putrajaya Landmark) which symbolises the beginnings of Putrajaya with its time capsule structure. Its design is a combination of a high-technology theme and the use of contemporary and traditional motifs.

Plaza Mercu Tanda or Landmark Plaza which is landscaped with trees and water fountains; and The Perdana Mall which are pedestrian walkways linking the Landmark and Entrance Plaza to Cascade Plaza, Fragrant Garden, gezebos and pergolas.

Putra Perdana Park is open to the public Mondays to Fridays from 7.00 am – 8.00 pm, and on Saturdays and Sundays from 7.00 am – 10.00 pm

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In the Nature Interpretation Centre, there is a souvenir shop, a wetland diorama, wetlands handicraft displays, an AV room and the Wetland Café. The Centre, being the focal point for public education on ecotourism, provides information about the

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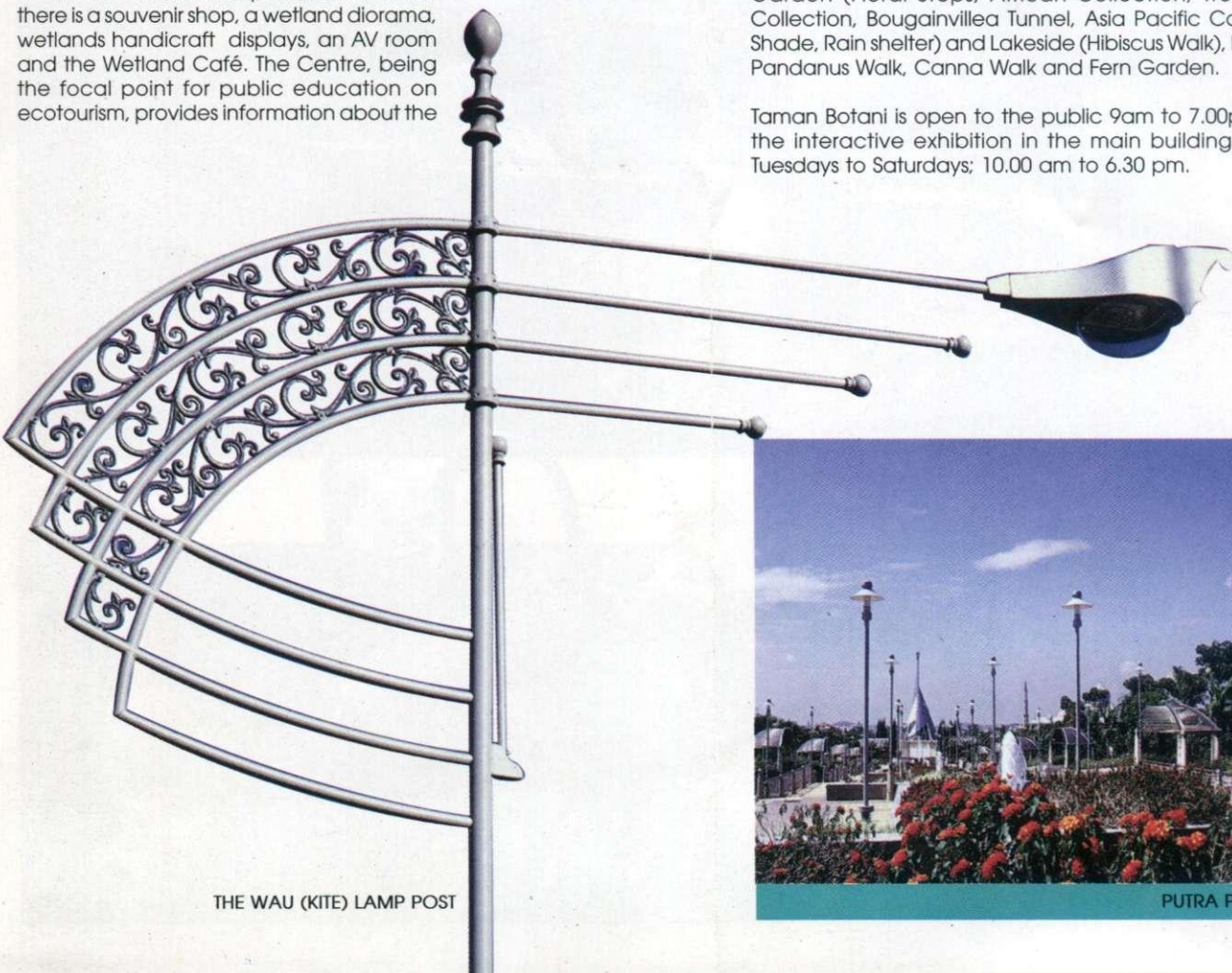
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Taman Botani is open to the public 9am to 7.00pm daily while the interactive exhibition in the main building is open from Tuesdays to Saturdays; 10.00 am to 6.30 pm.



THE WAU (KITE) LAMP POST



PUTRA PERDANA PARK

FUTURE TOURIST ATTRACTIONS

Construction of the Boulevard will begin under phase 2 of the city's development. The Putrajaya Boulevard is a 100 metre wide walkway that will connect the five main precincts within the Core Area. This 4.2km straight road will go through the middle of the core Area. Acting as central spine that links the whole area together, there will be four squares or dataran alongside it- Dataran Wawasan, Dataran Rakyat, Dataran Putrajaya and Dataran Khazanah.

Other Putrajaya landmarks coming up in phase 2 include a 4.5 km waterfront promenade, the Grand Mosque of Putrajaya and a series of bridges. In the pipeline are also the circular forest hill park Taman Puncak Selatan, Dataran Putrajaya and the Seri Wawasan Bridge which draws its inspiration from a sailboat. In the civic and Cultural Precinct, there will be an Entertainment District and Art & Culture Quarter which will provide numerous choices through its many retail outlets that will offer the best in Malaysian and international designer brands. Active visitors will find that there will be lots to do in Putrajaya. In addition, there will be museums, galleries and theatres to keep everyone busy.

Perbadanan Putrajaya also has plans to develop a luxury boutique hotel to provide accommodation and exhibition amenities. The hotel is currently being constructed within Taman Putra Perdana in Precinct 1. With 118 guest rooms, a cafeteria, restaurants, swimming pool, sauna, jacuzzi and gymnasium, the hotel is designed to blend into its parkland setting as a "hotel in the park/park in a hotel" with panoramic views of its surroundings. Owned by Perbadanan Putrajaya, the hotel is expected to open in the fourth quarter of 2002.

SOUQ

The word souq originates from mid eastern countries and is used to describe a market place or a bazaar. This business district provides an avenue for shopkeepers to exchange or sell their goods that range from domestic items to light home-based industry such as jewellery, pottery and fabrics.

The souq of Putrajaya is located near Putra Mosque and Selera Putra which was opened in February 2002

EATING OUT

There are already dining facilities available for visitors and residents of Putrajaya. One such establishment strategically located at the lower level of Dataran Putra fronting Putrajaya Lake is Selera Putra. The food outlets in Selera Putra can seat over 800 people and offers international cuisine, local favourites and fast food. Medan Selera is another eating area located in the residential area of Precinct 8. Visitors may also wish to visit Anjung, Putrajaya's first commercial complex located in Parcel E, Precinct 1 which currently houses 11 shop lots and one food court. Soon, many more restaurants and food courts will be available.



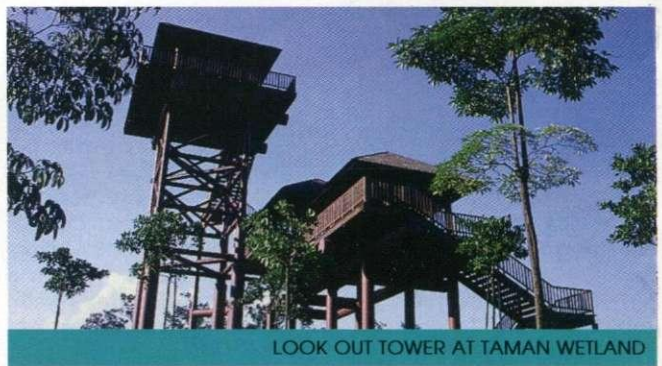
SELERA PUTRA RESTAURANT

SHOPPING

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ACCOMODATION

As the hotel in Putrajaya is still being constructed, for the moment, visitors to Putrajaya can put up for the night in neighbouring hotels including Equatorial Bangi, and IOI Renaissance Palm Garden. Putrajaya is well connected by



LOOK OUT TOWER AT TAMAN WETLAND

GETTING THERE

Various modes of public transport are available to and from Putrajaya as listed below:

BUSES

Parkmay (Cityliner No. 868)
Route : Sinar Kota-Komuter Serdang-Putrajaya-Cyberjaya
Frequency : 20 minutes interval

Sepang Omnibus (No. 536B)
Route : Sepang-Banting-Dengkil-Cyberjaya-Putrajaya
Frequency : Every 3 hours

Kenderaan Kelang-Banting (No. 131)
Route : Kelang-Banting-Dengkil-Cyberjaya-Putrajaya
Frequency : Every 2 hours

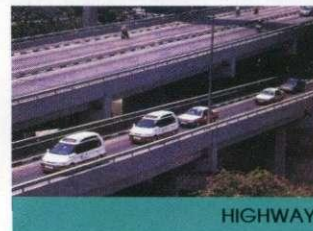
Sum Omnibus (No. 186)
Route : Kajang Terminal Bus-UNITEN-Putrajaya-Cyberjaya
Frequency : Every 1-2 hours

RAIL

Express Rail Link (ERL)
Route : KL Sentral/Bandar Tasik Putrajaya/Cyberjaya/
Salak Tinggi/KLIA
Frequency : every half an hour (peak hours)
every hour (off peak hours)

	From Sentral	From KLIA
First service	5.33am	5.18 am
Last service	12.03 am	12.08 am
Fare:	RM 9.50	RM 6.20
Estimated travelling time:	20 minutes	

Putrajaya Internal Nadi Putra bus services are available at 50 sen per ride



HIGHWAY



EXPRESS TRAIN

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HOTEL EQUATORIAL BANGI Off Pesiaran Bandar 43650 Bandar Baru Bangi, Selangor Tel: 03-8210 2222 Fax: 03-8210 2888 website: www.equatorial.com info@bng.equatorial.com RM420-RM700 252 rooms	EQUATORIAL BANGI GOLF RESORT Off Pesiaran Bandar 43650 Bandar Baru Bangi, Selangor Tel: 03-8925 3738 Fax: 03-8825 3726 website: www.equatorial.com info@bng.equatorial.com 18-hole championship course	RENAISSANCE PALM GARDEN HO IOI Resort, 62502 Kajang Tel: 03-943 2233 Fax: 03-943 1122 website: www.renaissancehotels.com USD50-USD137 153 rooms	PALACE OF THE GOLDEN HORSES Jalan Kuda Emas The Mines Resort City 43300 Seri Kembangan Tel: 03-8943 2333 Fax: 03-8943 2666 website: www.pgh.mines.com.my pgh@signature.com.my RM690-11,500 481 rooms	

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GOLF

Golf enthusiasts will be happy to know that there are a few international class golf courses in the vicinity of Putrajaya. Set in magnificent surroundings with breathtaking views, these resorts and clubs offer a variety of recreational options for non-golfers and are full service resorts with lots of fun in store for the whole family. Accommodation ranging from budget to first class is also available nearby for golfers who may want to stay the night in order to make an early start at the golf course.

Golf courses in the vicinity of Putrajaya include:

- Palm Garden Golf Club
- Bangi Golf and Country Club
- Kajang Hill Golf Club
- Nilai Springs Golf & Country Club
- Bukit Unggul Country Club
- Tunku Jaafar Golf and Country Club
- Staffield Country Club



VIEW FROM THE LOOK OUT TOWER AT TAMAN WETLAND

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RM690-11,500
481 rooms

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Total area	: 4,932 hectares
Land use	: Government 5.3%, Commercial 2.9%, Residential 25.8%, Civic & Cultural 0.2%, Public facilities 10.1%, Utility and Infrastructure 18.2%, Green area 37.5%
Planned population:	350,000
Workforce	: 76,000 (public sector) 59,000 (private sector)

PERBADANAN PUTRAJAYA (PUTRAJAYA CORPORATION)

Perbadanan Putrajaya was incorporated in 1996 to administer and manage Putrajaya. As the local authority of Putrajaya, Perbadanan Putrajaya is responsible for formulating and implementing development policies and urban design guidelines.

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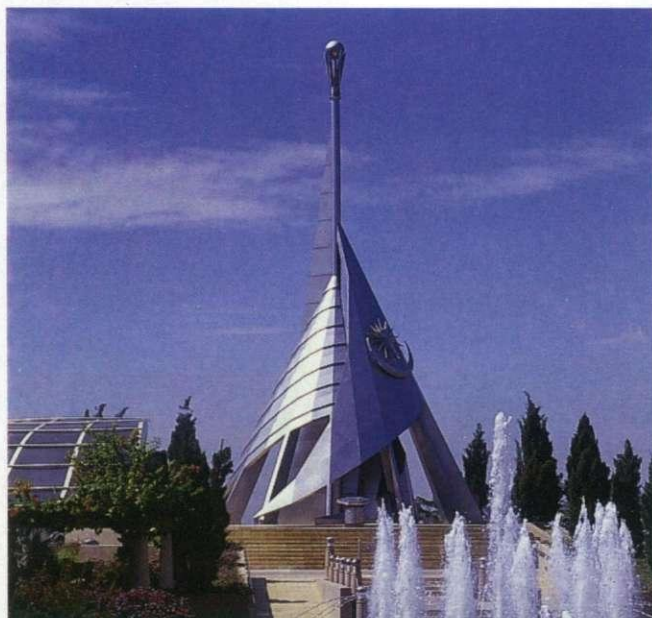
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MERCU TANDA (LANDMARK TOWER)

INTRODUCTION

On 2 June 1993, the Malaysian Government designated an area in the country's South Growth Corridor called Prang Besar to be the site of the new administrative centre for the Federal Government. Later adopting the name Putrajaya - in honour of Malaysia's first Prime Minister, the late Tunku Abdul Rahman Putra Al-Haj - an oil palm plantation was soon transformed into a meticulously planned and beautiful city. Here is the nation's first Intelligent Garden City, a city that epitomises the Government's vision of Malaysia in the 21st century.

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THE PUTRAJAYA DEVELOPMENT

Putrajaya is divided into two major areas: the Core Area (five precincts comprising the Government, Mixed Development, Civic & Cultural, Commercial and Sports & Recreation Precincts) and the Periphery Area (comprising residential areas, parks and public amenities) which are separated by a large man-made lake.

The Government Precinct which is the most prominent in line with its role as the administrative centre of the Federal Government, will pioneer the concept of an electronic or e-government. The seat of Malaysian governance - the Prime Minister's Office Complex or Perdana Putra - is located at the highest point in this precinct and overlooks Dataran Putra.

Visitors to Putrajaya will surely notice the unique design concept of the street lamps lining its wide roads. Malaysian designs that include Fauna, Obor, Flora and Wau provide a warm and eye-catching welcome to all. These streetlight designs are just some of the tying elements of the totally integrated development of Putrajaya.

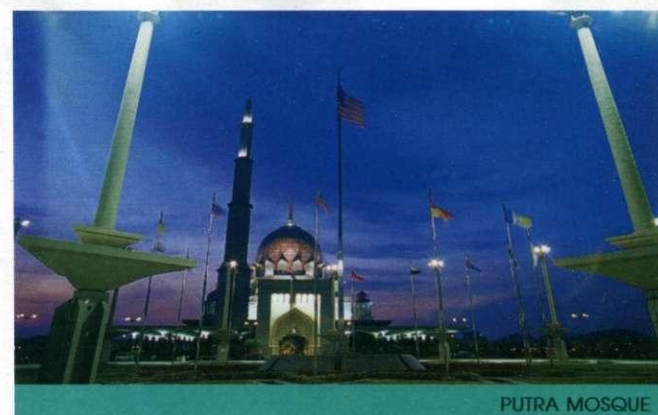


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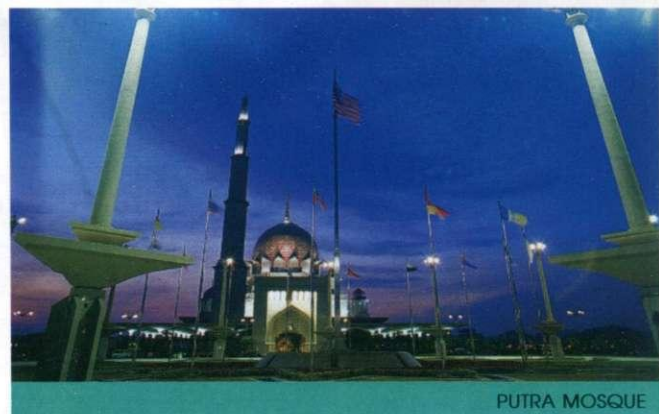


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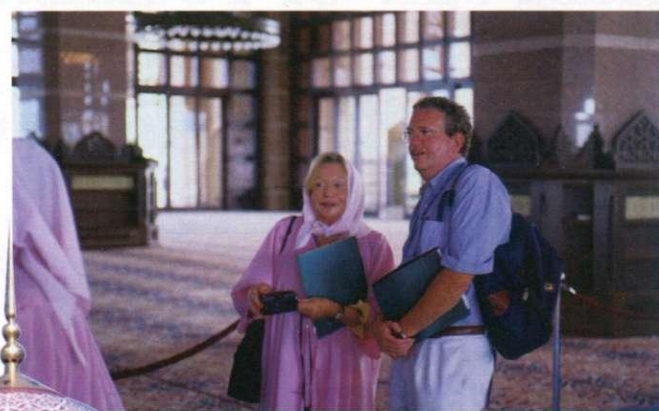
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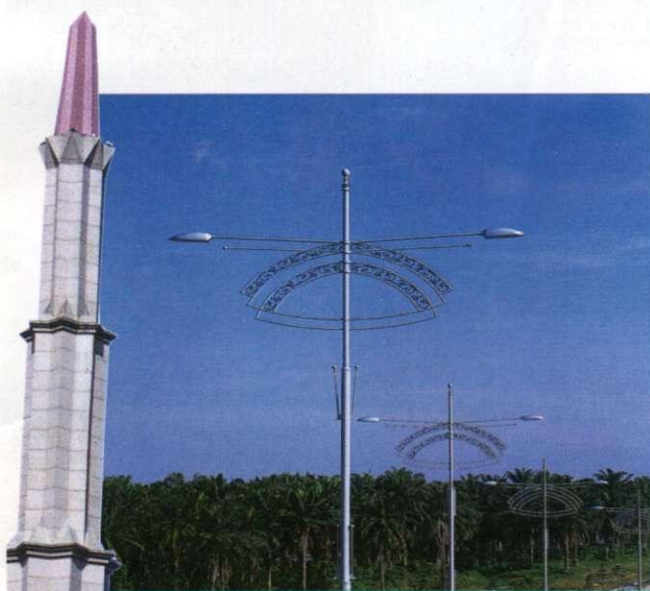
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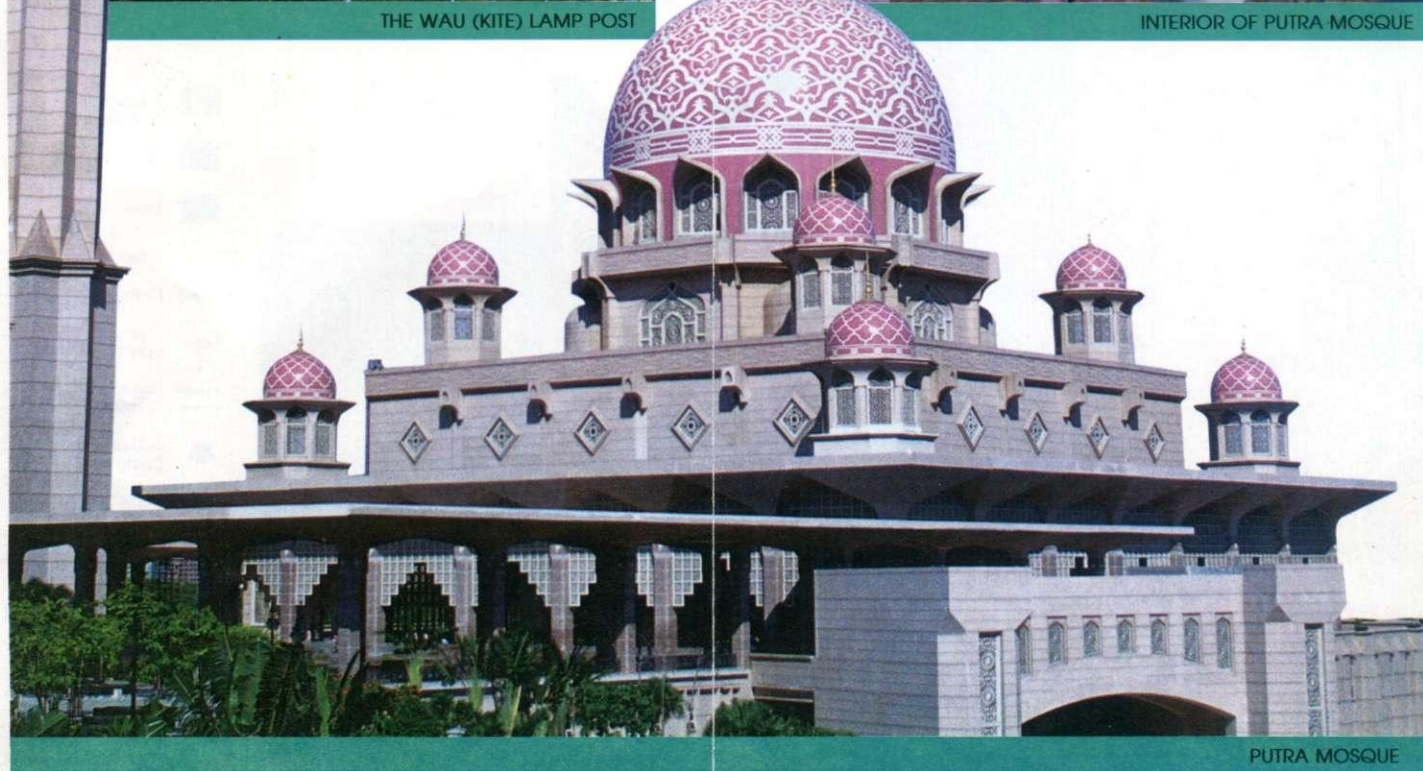
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INTERIOR OF PUTRA MOSQUE



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PLACES OF INTEREST IN PUTRAJAYA

Around the world, planned cities or relocated capitals are not uncommon. But Putrajaya is unique and unforgettable because of its development philosophy and design. This philosophy is guided by the fundamental trinity of human relationship—between man and his creator, between man and his fellow man, and between man and his environment. Essentially, the development and design of Putrajaya is based on the theme of a garden city that is in harmony with its natural environment yet it is modern, futuristic, unique and very Malaysian. Due to its seat within the Multimedia Super Corridor, Putrajaya will play a crucial role in the country's quest to be the centre of Information Technology in the region. However, its Malaysian character and identity will still feature prominently through its use of Moorish/European architecture which is overlaid with Islamic and Malaysian elements.



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THE FAUNA LAMP POST

Tourists will find it extremely easy to get around the city in comfort due to its pedestrian streets, shaded footpaths and reliable public transportation. Support services like banks, tourist information centres, travel agencies, internet cafes and the post office will be centrally located. Accommodation will be varied to cater for all budgets and range from luxury hotels and service apartments to budget motels and camping sites.



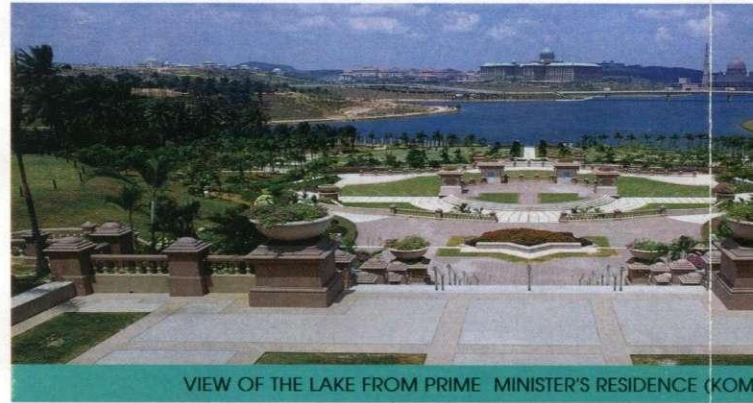
PERDANA PUTRA (PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE) AT NIGHT

Below are some of the main tourist attractions in Putrajaya:

Perdana Putra Complex (Prime Minister's office)

Perdana Putra Complex is located in Precinct 1 and overlooks Putrajaya Lake, Putra Mosque and Dataran Putra. This six-storey natural stone clad office complex comprises the Prime Minister's Office, the offices of the Deputy Prime Minister and Chief Secretary to the Government. The two lower levels of the building sit on a strong perimeter base which supports fluted columns rising across the remaining four levels. The base symbolises the strong and stable foundation that is necessary to administer a dynamic and prosperous country such as Malaysia while the series of columns denote the orderly and united people that support the sovereignty of Malaysia.

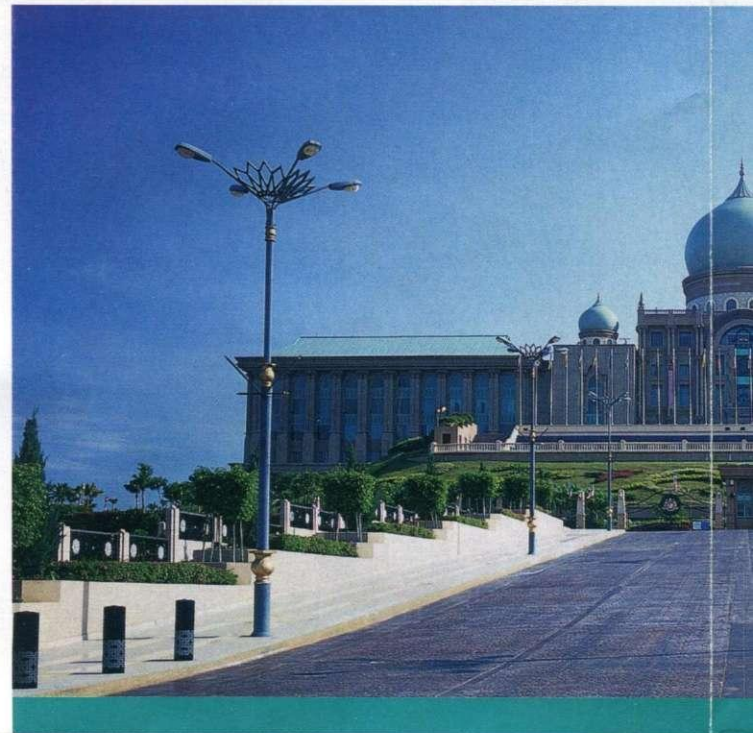
The design of Perdana Putra Complex incorporates elements of Islamic-Mogul architecture. Its green pitched roof converges



VIEW OF THE LAKE FROM PRIME MINISTER'S RESIDENCE (KOM)

“Putrajaya will be a city that characterises the spirit of Malaysia in its fullest sense in the 21st century...Putrajaya will symbolise the nation's aspirations”

- Dato' Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad,
The Right Honourable Prime Minister of Malaysia

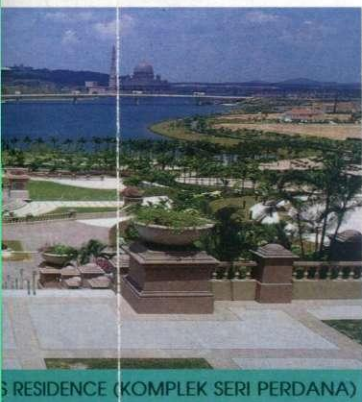


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SERI PERDANA COMPLEX (PRIME MINISTER'S RESIDENCE)

Dataran Putra

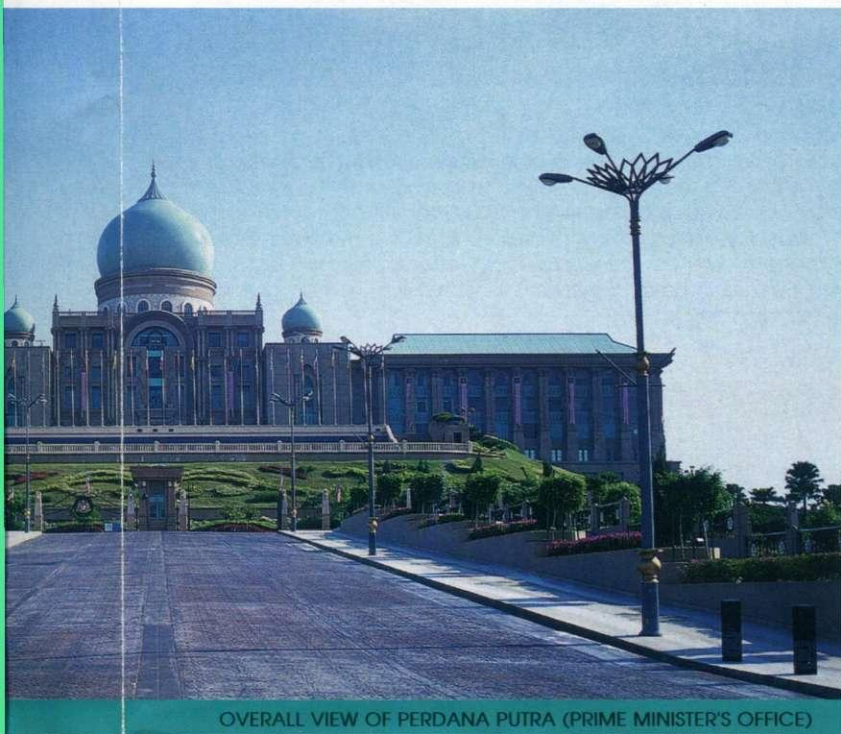
A ceremonial tree-lined centrepiece of Putrajaya. Dataran Putra is 300 metres in diameter and adorned with local motifs, water and light features. Its design has an outer 11-point star representing the 11 states when Malaysia first gained independence, an inner 13-point star symbolising the 13 Malaysian states today, while the inner-most 14-point star represents the Malaysian states and the Federal Territories of Kuala Lumpur, Labuan and Putrajaya. Dataran Putra's linkage to Perdana Putra, Perdana Walk, Putra Mosque, Putra Bridge and the Promenade makes it the most visited landmark in

Putrajaya. It also links the Boulevard towards the city's Mercu Tanda (Landmark)

Seri Perdana Complex (Prime Minister's Residence)

The official residence of the present and future Malaysian Prime Ministers, Seri Perdana is also used for official receptions and banquets. Open to the public everyday except Mondays, there are guided tours in Bahasa Malaysia. Tours in other languages can also be provided through the assistance of a translator.

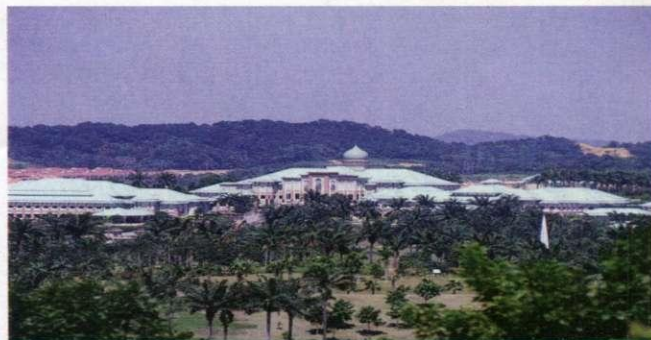
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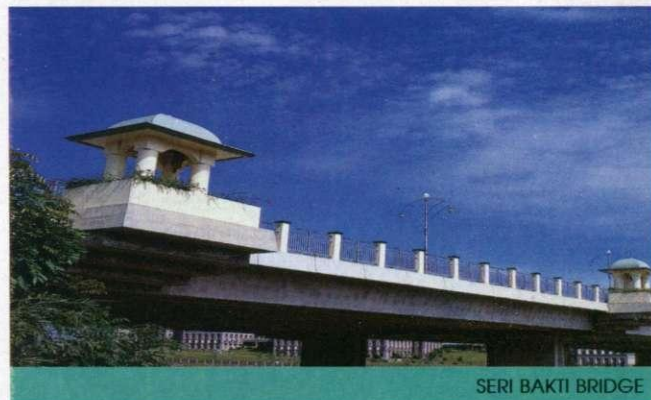
OVERALL VIEW OF PERDANA PUTRA (PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE)

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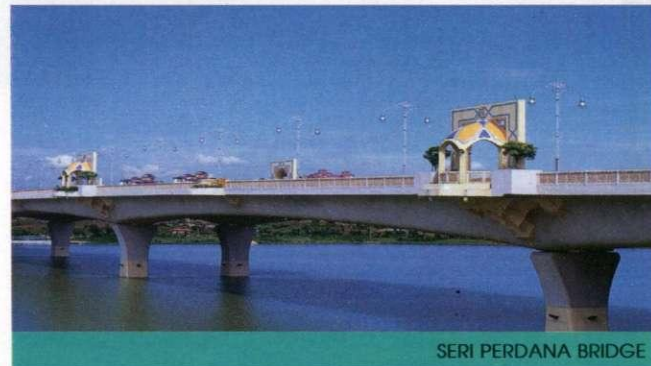
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PERDANA PUTRA (PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE) AT NIGHT

Below are some of the main tourist attractions in Putrajaya:

Perdana Putra Complex (Prime Minister's office)

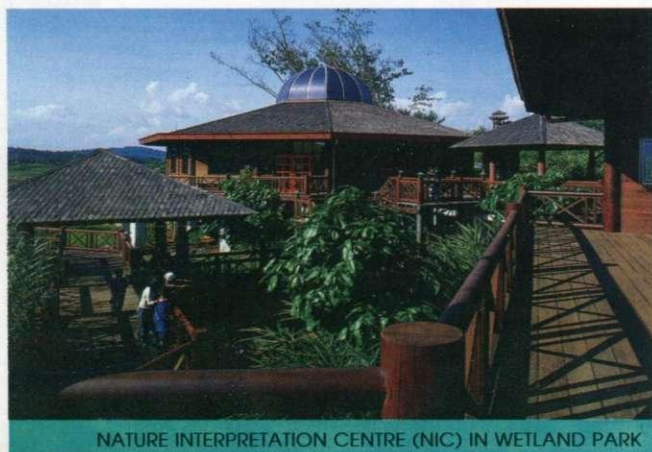
Perdana Putra Complex is located in Precinct 1 and overlooks Putrajaya Lake, Putra Mosque and Dataran Putra. This six-storey natural stone clad office complex comprises the Prime Minister's Office, the offices of the Deputy Prime Minister and Chief Secretary to the Government. The two lower levels of the building sit on a strong perimeter base which supports fluted columns rising across the remaining four levels. The base symbolises the strong and stable foundation that is necessary to administer a dynamic and prosperous country such as Malaysia while the series of columns denote the orderly and united people that support the sovereignty of Malaysia.

The design of Perdana Putra Complex incorporates elements of Islamic-Mogul architecture. Its green pitched roof converges at the onion-shaped glazed mosaic main dome - a replica of Masjid Zahir in Alor Setar, Kedah - and surrounded by four smaller domes denoting the Malay and Islamic heritage of the nation. Wrought iron bunga raya motifs and waterjet stone carvings decorate the Main Block.

Perdana Putra Complex is open to the Public from Mondays to Fridays; 8.00 am - 12.30 pm, 2.00 pm - 4.30 pm and on Saturdays from 8.00 am - 12.30 pm. Closed to the public on Sundays, public holidays and every 1st and 3rd Saturday of the month.

Important Notes:

1. Please wear appropriate attire for the tour – No round-neck t-shirts, singlets, short pants, short skirts, slippers or sandals allowed. Male visitors are advised to wear collared shirts, long pants and shoes. Female visitors are advised not to wear revealing attire.
2. Visitors are not allowed to carry bags and video cameras into the Prime Minister's Office.
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NATURE INTERPRETATION CENTRE (NIC) IN WETLAND PARK



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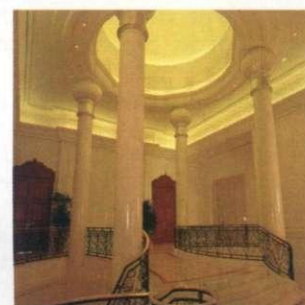
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INTERIOR OF NATURE INTERPRETATION CENTRE AT TAMAN WETLAND



DATARAN PUTRA



INTERIOR-SERI PERDANA

The mosque is constructed in rose-tinted granite which gives its desert-pink hue that offsets the cengal woodwork on doors, windows and panels. The Prayer Hall is simple and elegant and supported by 12 columns that prop up the 36-metre diameter main dome. The mimbar (pulpit) and mehrab (niche that denotes the direction of Mecca) are adorned with khat or Islamic calligraphy. A unique feature has been added to the sound system design - front throw speakers are used to create the effect of all sounds originating from the direction of the imam.

The mosque complex which can accommodate up to 10,000 worshippers, can be used to hold conferences, seminars and symposiums. Worshippers can also congregate at the sahn or paved courtyard in front of the prayer hall. The courtyard is landscaped with water features and can hold an additional 5,000 people.



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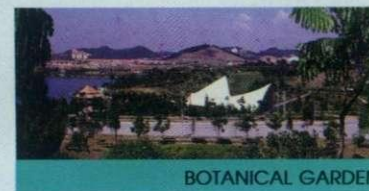
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TOURIST MAP OF PUTRAJAYA

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